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By ECF

The Honorable Mary Kay Vyskocil
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007

Re: United States of America v. Erica Garcia, 1:20-cr-00160-10-MKV

Dear Judge Vyskocil:

I represent Erica Garcia, who is currently on release pending the above-referenced matter. Her release conditions have certain travel restrictions. I write to respectfully request that Ms. Garcia be permitted to attend the ExoticsCon veterinary conference (www.exoticscon.com) in Nashville, Tennessee in late August 2021. The conference is a training program for reptile and amphibian veterinarians. Ms. Garcia is a member of the Association of Reptile and Amphibian Veterinarians, and she is employed by the Cooper City Animal Clinic in South Florida, where she treats reptile and amphibian pets.

If approved, Ms. Garcia would travel to Tennessee on August 28, 2021 and return to Florida on September 2, 2021. Prior to leaving, she would provide Pretrial Services with her flight and hotel information.

AUSA Andrews Adams and Pretrial Services Officer Nelson Valenzuela consent to this request.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

Deborah Colson

cc: AUSA Andrew Adams
Pretrial Services Officer Nelson Valenzuela